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**(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

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6015.103

Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: LightSharp LLC

Application or Patent No.: 10/008,594

Filed or Issued: November 8, 2001

Title: Ghost Image Correction System and Method

I hereby state that I am

- ☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below;  
☒ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN LightSharp LLC

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN: 6400 E. Grant Road, Suite 300, Tucson, Arizona 85715

I hereby state that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Questions related to size standards for a small business concern may be directed to: Small Business Administration, Size Standards Staff, 409 Third Street, SW, Washington, DC 20416.

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- ☐ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.  
☒ the application identified above.  
☐ the patent identified above.

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**COMPLETE IF KNOWN****Application Number**

10/008,594

**Filing Date**

11/08/2001

**Group Art Unit**

To be assigned

**Examiner Name**

To be assigned

**As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Ghost Image Correction System and Method

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(Title of the Invention)

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?	
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Filed: 10/08/2001      Examiner: To be assigned  
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AND CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b)**

LightSharp LLC (hereinafter "Assignee"), having a place of business at 6400 E. Grant Road, Suite 300, Tucson, Arizona 85715, certifies that to the best of Assignee's knowledge and belief, it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the above-captioned United States patent application and represents that the undersigned is a representative authorized and empowered to sign on behalf of the Assignee.

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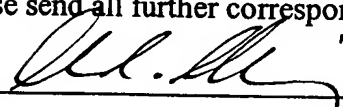
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